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Q1 This submission was completed by:

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Q2 Are you making this submission

as a registered practitioner,
If group, company or organisation, please specify::

Q3 Please tell us which part of the sector your submission represents

a registered dentist or dental specialist ,
a company/organisation

Page 3: Area one: new core recertification programme

Q4 What, if anything, do you like about our proposed core recertification programme?

Nothing

Q5 Is there anything about our proposed core recertification programme you would change?

Yes,
Please explain.:
You should stop having open book assessment , and stupid essay type reflection! If NZDC has interest in maintaining standards, it should work on limitation of oversea dentists come to nz and keep the standard by reviewing dental school standards!

Q6 Do you support our proposal to change the recertification cycle to 12 months?

No,
Please explain.:
It way too short!!!! Who is going to go thru these type of things every year!!!!!!

Phase two consultation on recertification

Q7 Do you think our proposed core recertification programme should include a requirement for practitioners to complete an online open-book assessment of their technical and clinical knowledge and skills?

No,

Please explain.:

Again! An open book exam.... what's the point????? We can get someone from any uni who can read English to do an open book exam and pass!!!! If NzDC is serious, why not have a close book examinations and whoever fails go back to dental school for further training or delist their registration???? Open book exam is a stupid idea.... just waste everyone time..... and everyone will pass cos it's open book.....unless they are retard and if the are retards they shouldn't get the registration from council on day one!!!!

Q8 If a proposal about an online open-book assessment of a practitioner's technical and clinical skills and knowledge is supported, how often should practitioners be required to complete an assessment?

Please explain.:

Never!

Q9 Do you have other proposals about our proposed core recertification programme you would like us to consider? Please explain.

If u do eye test, why not do a hand eye coordination test every year? Like do a crown prep annually to a prosthodontist? People can see doesn't mean they don't have shaky hands...../. How about ethical test? So many dentists out there doesn't have eye problem, but ethical problem. Like over treatment etc..... how is NZDC going to stop that????

Page 4: Area two: support for new registrants

Q10 What, if anything, do you like about our draft proposals for supporting new registrants?

They should b limited to two years Mentoship and shouldn't open dental practices as no one can supervise their work

Q11 Is there anything about the draft proposals for supporting new registrants you would change?

Yes,

Please explain.:

NZDC should limit the numbers in dental school and maybe need to sit registrarion exam after passing dental school, and don't make it an automatic registration once they graduated!

Q12 Do you think the proposed two year minimum period for the mentoring relationship is:

too short

Q13 Do you think all new registrants should participate in a mentoring programme, or are there some new registrants who should not be required to participate in a mentoring programme?

Yes,

Please explain.:

All should! Some oversea Dentist just don't even know what's consumer act or privacy act and doesn't know code of practice in nz

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Q14 Do you have other proposals about supporting new registrants you would like us to consider? Please explain.

Dental student should sit exam after two years of practice to get full registration

Page 5: Area three: addressing health-related competence decline concerns

Q15 What, if anything, do you like about our draft proposals for addressing health-related competence decline concerns?

Should do eyes test when 60

Q16 Is there anything about the draft proposals for addressing health-related competence decline concerns you would change?

Yes,

Please explain.:

Eyes test at 40..... come on..... even driving in nz doesn't need eye test every two years!

Q17 Do you have other proposals for addressing health-related competence decline concerns you would like us to consider? Please explain.

Respondent skipped this question

Page 6: Area four: addressing recurring non-compliant practitioner behaviours

Q18 What, if anything, do you like about our draft proposals for addressing recurring non-compliant practitioner behaviours?

Go heavy punishment

Q19 Is there anything about the draft proposals for addressing recurring non-compliant practitioner behaviours you would change?

No

Q20 Do you have other proposals for addressing recurring non-compliant practitioner behaviours you would like us to consider? Please explain.

Delisted then permanently

Page 7: Final thoughts and comments

Q21 Do you have any other comments, suggestions or information you want to share with us about the draft proposals for improving our approach to recertification?

The assessment, assignment n annual open book exam is a a complete waste of time! NZDC should spend more time on unethical dentists, Black market Dentist, limitation of number of oversea Dentist flushing the profession and lowered our quality..... don't punish the good guys becos of the bad ones
